

been honored as Men's Club Man of the Year and as a Chatan Torah of Park East.

Alla and Phil Weisberg are receiving the Parent Leadership Award for their dedication to Park East Day School. With two children at the Day School, the Weisbergs are an extremely involved family. Phil serves on the Day School Board of Education and Alla is a past co-President of the Parents Association. Their desire to make education accessible to all is visible through their generosity to the Day School Scholarship Fund.

Madam Speaker, I ask my distinguished colleagues to join me in recognizing the 119th anniversary of Park East Synagogue and in paying tribute to these outstanding individuals for their extraordinary commitment to the community of Park East Synagogue.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. GREGG HARPER

OF MISSISSIPPI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. HARPER. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2847—Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010:

Requesting Member: Congressman Gregg Harper

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Account: DOC, NOAA—ORF

Project Name: NOAA Northern Gulf Institute

Recipient and Address: Mississippi State University, P.O. Box 9627, Mississippi State, MS 39762

Amount: \$700,000

Project Description: The NGI defines the Northern Gulf of Mexico region as the upland and watershed, coastal zone, and coastal ocean areas from the Sabine River, LA in the west to the Suwannee River, FL in the east. The Northern Gulf is a rich and interdependent natural environment of great complexity and is important to the region and the nation. The riverine-dominated Northern Gulf ecosystems are under pressure from increasing population and coastal development, impacts from severe storms and climate variability, inland watershed and coastal wetlands degradation, and many other factors. NGI has chosen an approach to Northern Gulf Region issues, problems and opportunities that is closely aligned with NOAA's strategic and research priorities and its user community.

Requesting Member: Congressman Gregg Harper

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Account: DOJ, OJP—Byrne

Project Name: Regional Counterdrug Training Academy

Proposed Recipient and Address: Mississippi Military Department, FH—MS, P.O. Box 5027, Jackson, MS 39296

Amount: \$300,000

Project Description: Using the existing facilities, staff and support structure of the regional Counterdrug Training Academy, the CJS Byrne Grant funding will result in training an additional 300 first responders in prevention of terrorism and response to terrorist incidents.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. GINNY BROWN-WAITE

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Ms. GINNY BROWN-WAITE of Florida. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2847, the Commerce, Justice, Science and Related Agencies Appropriations Act of 2010.

I requested two projects in H.R. 2847. They include:

\$800,000 for the Lake County Board of Commissioners located at 315 West Main St., P.O. Box 7800, Tavares, FL 32778. This funding will help Lake County to fund an 800 Mhz radio system and go towards equipment and technology for the Emergency Operations Center of Lake County.

\$200,000 for the Marion County Board of County Commissioners located at 601 SE 25th Avenue, Ocala, FL 34471. This funding will help to fund the purchase of technology that captures fingerprints required for FBI criminal background checks, through the rest of the patrol vehicles. The equipment and software will collect demographic data and fingerprint scans and submit both to the appropriate background check authority, which will, in turn, provide instant feedback. The request is in accordance with priorities established by the Florida Department of Law Enforcement, who has indicated a desire for all law enforcement agencies across the state to have consistency in the equipment used for fingerprinting.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. THOMAS E. PETRI

OF WISCONSIN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. PETRI. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the Republican Leadership standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding an earmark I received as part of H.R. 2847—Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010:

Requesting Member: The Honorable THOMAS E. PETRI

Bill Number: H.R. 2847

Account: Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies—COPS Law Enforcement Technology

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: City of Waupun Police Department, Waupun, Wisconsin

Address of Requesting Entity: 16 E. Main St., Waupun, Wisconsin 53963

Description of Project: This \$30,000 from the COPS Law Enforcement Technology account will be used by the Waupun Police Department to purchase new communication equipment to become P25 compliant and more effectively respond and communicate with other jurisdictions in the area.

EARMARK DECLARATION

HON. ROY BLUNT

OF MISSOURI

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Monday, June 15, 2009

Mr. BLUNT. Madam Speaker, pursuant to the House Republican standards on earmarks, I am submitting the following information regarding earmarks I received as part of H.R. 2847—Commerce, Justice, Science, and Related Agencies Appropriations Act, 2010.

Account: Department Of Justice—COPS Law Enforcement Technology

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Greene County, MO

Address of Requesting Entity: 933 N. Robberson, Springfield, MO 65802

Description of Request: \$350,000 is included for the Greene County Emergency Operation Center. These funds will be used for the necessary equipment for emergency operations in Greene County, MO. The equipment will include computers, software, televisions, video conference equipment and other specialized equipment for the facility. The use of taxpayer funds is justified because this equipment is necessary for interoperability of all agencies in the event of any type of disaster.

Account: Department of Justice—COPS Law Enforcement Technology

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Jasper County Commission, Carthage, MO

Address of Requesting Entity: Jasper County Commission, 302 S. Main St., Carthage, MO 64836

Description of Request: \$250,000 is included for the Cornerstone Regional Justice Information System. These funds will be used to procure law enforcement information sharing and records management software, laptop computers, high speed data cards, multi-modal biometric identification equipment, and network connectivity hardware for multiple counties in Southwest Missouri. The use of taxpayer funds is justified because this equipment will be used to enhance cooperative multi-jurisdictional law enforcement efforts by improving communications and criminal information sharing among local and state agencies in Southwest Missouri.

Account: Department of Justice—COPS Law Enforcement Technology

Legal Name of Requesting Entity: Taney County Commission, Forsyth, MO

Address of Requesting Entity: Taney County Commission, 127 Main Street, Forsyth, MO 65653

Description of Request: \$400,000 is included for the White River Area Emergency Project. This funding will be used to create a data sharing network and purchase and implement the latest mobile data computers, network hardware, and criminal justice information sharing software for all law enforcement agencies in Taney County. This funding will enable Taney County, MO to purchase and implement a county wide, multi-jurisdiction public safety mobile data network as well as a criminal justice information sharing system. The use of taxpayer funds is justified because this project will greatly enhance overall investigations and increase officer safety by enabling instant access to critical time sensitive information on the street, when they need it most.